Amendments to the Claims

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

- 1-47. (Canceled).
- 48. (Currently Amended) A <u>solid</u> pharmaceutical composition for the treatment of allergic rhinitis or urticaria which comprises from about 0.1 mg to 5 mg of descarboethoxyloratadine, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier, <u>wherein said composition is suitable for oral administration</u>.
 - 49-69. (Canceled).
- 70. (Previously presented) The pharmaceutical composition of claim 48, which is adapted for administration in a single dose per day.
- 71. (Currently amended) The pharmaceutical composition of claim 52 or 61
 48, which is in the form of capsule or tablet.

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